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## DEFENSE OF DURRANT.

A Sensation at the Celebrated San Francisco Trial.

A MINISTER INDIRECTLY ACCUSED

The Prisoner's Counsel Intimates That There Is More Evidence Against Rev. Dr. Gibson Than Against His Client, for Whom He Claims an Alibi.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.—The department of the superior court in which Theodore Durrant is on trial for the murder of Blanche Lamont was a scene of excitement yesterday. The announcement by the district attorney that "the people rest" and the subsequent statement of attorneys for the defense that they would be ready to proceed at once, drew to the city hall a crowd that could not get admission to a room ten times the size of the apartment set aside for the trial. Although the occasion was of the greatest importance to Durrant, he was the most cool and impassive individual present.

After the cross examination of several witnesses for the prosecution, Attorney Eugene Dupuy, for the defense, then began his opening statement. His intimation that the murder was committed in a room ten times the size of the apartment set aside for the trial, drew to the city hall a crowd that could not get admission to a room ten times the size of the apartment set aside for the trial. Although the occasion was of the greatest importance to Durrant, he was the most cool and impassive individual present.

After detailing at length Durrant's movements on the day of Miss Lamont's disappearance, Mr. Dupuy declared his ability to prove a complete alibi for the prisoner, he proceeded:

"We will show that the marks upon the belfry door are the marks of a chisel, and that the chisel was found in the pastor's studio in a tool box. We will show you, as long as they have introduced a paper here with letters on it, as compared with letters found in Emanuel church, that they are letters written by Rev. John George Gibson. If we are to act upon suspicious we will show you there are others who have been cast into suspicion, and worse than the defendant. Theodore Durrant is innocent; we stand for his life; we demand his liberty."

Mrs. Durrant, mother of the prisoner, was the first witness for the defense, and was followed by Police Sergeant Reynolds, who described the chisel marks on the belfry door and the finding of the chisel which fitted the marks in the pastor's study.

A DETECTIVE'S STORY.

The Surprise Which Durrant's Counsel Will Spring on the Court.

OMAHA, Sept. 25.—The Bee says: "Last night a prominent member of the Pinkerton Detective agency passed through this city. He had just come from San Francisco, and is familiar with the whole proceedings in the Durrant matter. When pressed for a tip on the surprise that Durrant's lawyers were holding back, he said that as the fact would soon come out in court he had no objection to telling what the profound secret was."

The detective said that Durrant had now in his possession and would soon show to the court a letter, which is bound to establish his innocence of the crime with which he is charged. This letter was written by Blanche Lamont a day or two after she is supposed to have been murdered.

Concerning the contents of the letter, or its exact date, he would not speak, but he said that there could be no doubt but that the letter was written by Miss Lamont later than April 2.

**The Russo-French Alliance.**

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Vienna correspondent of The Times says: "Die Presse" voices the official opinion of the visit of Prince Lobanoff, Russian foreign minister to France, and follows it with an impartial presentation of the policy of the cabinets of Paris and St. Petersburg. For the last twenty-five years the French government has known exactly what it wants, says Die Presse, and everybody will understand the significance of the concentration of the troops on the German and Italian frontiers, and only those who desire to deceive themselves can doubt the meaning of the mobilizing of the Russian army in Poland, with the front towards Berlin."

**Five Outlaws Sentenced to Death.**

FORT SMITH, Ark., Sept. 25.—Lucky Davis, Moama Jule, Sam Simpson, Lewis Davis, and Rufus Buck were sentenced to hang on Thursday, Oct. 31. They are the Buck gang of outlaws, who created a reign of terror in the Creek nation during July and August last. They are charged with several murders and assaults on women, and are regarded as the most diabolical gang that ever invaded the Indian Territory.

**To Inspect Pennsylvania Institutions.**

HARRISBURG, Sept. 25.—Governor Hastings is preparing for a personal tour for the inspection of the charitable, penal and reformatory institutions of the state, to which he will devote several months. He will also summon the Harrisburg board of public charities and other state boards to examine into the condition of their affairs. The governor yesterday began the investigation concerning state printing and binding.

**Circus Tent Wrecked by Wind.**

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 25.—A terrific wind, hail and rain storm passed over this city yesterday afternoon. Barnum & Bailey's circus was giving an exhibition, and dismissed the audience. The main tent, animal tent and boarding tent were blown to strips and completely wrecked. No one was injured. The animals were badly frightened and nearly stampeded before the storm was over.

**French Again Defeat the Hovas.**

PAIGES, Sept. 25.—Official dispatches from Madagascar have been received here, according to which the French advance guard crossed the Ambonimena mountains and met and defeated the whole of the forces of the Hovas. The attack upon the Hovas was a complete surprise. The French suffered no losses. The troops, who are most encouraged over their victory, have arrived at Antohy, which is only forty miles from Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar.

**A Well Known Trade Publisher Dead.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Anton Schwarz, managing director of the United States Brewers' academy, publisher of The American Brewer, and the leading expert in the country on brewing matters, died suddenly yesterday at a house in East Eighty-sixth street. A mystery surrounds the circumstances of his death, and the members of the family refuse to make public any statement concerning it.

**Belle's Son Was Murdered.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A letter received here from Rev. W. C. Davenport, the father of Dr. Davenport, the young divinity student who was found dead on a railroad track near Glasgow, Scotland, says that there is a strong suspicion that the young man was fatally dealt with by Rev. Mr. Davenport in England. He says Scotland Yard officers are working on the case.

## THE CAUSE OF CUBA.

News from Insurgent Sources Which Discredit Spanish Statements.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Reports of the results of the engagements in Cuba, which are received through insurgent sources in this city, differ materially from the reports sent from Havana, where a press censorship is maintained. Yesterday President Palma received a long letter from General Carlos Roloff, which describes a spirited engagement that took place near Los Pasitos, which is within halting distance of Los Villares.

The letter says: "On the 6th inst. I found myself in camp near the plantation of Poyo Azul with forces under the command of Colonels Joaquin Castillo and Pedro Diaz, which included the celebrated 'Cayo Hoes' infantry regiment, under Jose Rafael Zegon. He told me that it would be comparatively easy to capture the forces of Dr. Egagasso by surprise. I placed under Zegon twenty picked cavalrymen, with whom he attacked the Spanish forts. He was stoutly resisted, however, and had to retreat. I informed him with the 'Cayo Hoes' regiment, led by Captains Esquiverra and Sierra, and later on by our entire troop of cavalry. We advanced and after many spirited engagements, lasting until the 9th, the fort unconditionally surrendered. In this engagement we had six killed and twelve wounded. The Spanish loss was heavy in killed and wounded. 'On the 11th we made a junction with General Serafin Sanchez at Los Pasitos, where we were at once attacked by a Spanish column, which we repulsed. We are forcing the enemy to retreat along the road to Santa Spiritus."

## He Wants to be Hanged.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 25.—M. A. Carter, alias Ed Harrigan, of Baltimore, was arrested here last night upon his own confession of having killed a woman on Aug. 17. He stated to the police that his crime has worried him until he can stand it no longer, and he wants to be hanged. The police have suspicions as to his sanity.

## Accused Cubans Again Acquitted.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 25.—The case of the alleged filibusters captured near Bahia Honda last Thursday was heard before United States Commissioner Otto. After hearing the evidence and the arguments of the attorneys, Commissioner Otto discharged the Cubans, stating that nothing had been proved against them.

## Senator Blackburn's Confidence.

MEXICO, Mo., Sept. 25.—Captain C. T. Allen, of this city, has received a letter from United States Senator J. C. Blackburn, of Kentucky, in which he says: "When I first entered the race for re-election to the United States senate things looked shady. Now I am a sure winner. Things look brighter every day."

## Yesterday's National League Games.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 7; Philadelphia, 1. At Washington (10 innings)—Washington, 7; New York, 6. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; Boston, 2. At Louisville—Pittsburgh, 11; Louisville, 4. At St. Louis—First game: Cincinnati, 15; St. Louis, 8. Second game: St. Louis, 3; Cincinnati, 4.

## Three Men Killed by an Express.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 25.—A train on the Boston and Maine railroad struck and instantly killed Patrick Farrell, Michael Craig and Edward McCann near the second crossing above the Chicopee street crossing in Chicopee. The three men and one other were walking together on the railroad track, and stepped from in front of a down freight train directly in front of the passenger train going up.

## Murdered by a Pal.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 25.—An unknown man was shot and killed by a companion during a drunken quarrel in front of the village hotel at Bridgeport last night. The man had the appearance of a thief. The murderer escaped, and is at large. His victim had a watch containing a Jimmy, a dark lantern and other burglars' tools, and seven dollars in money.

## The Thieving Cashier Still at Large.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—It has been discovered that Charles Gardner, the missing cashier of the Pennsylvania freight office here, took \$300 in cash with him when he fled. The examination of his books has not yet been completed, but it is not believed his total shortage will be more than \$5,000. No trace of Gardner has been found.

## Japanese Victorious in Formosa.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—The Norov Vremya states that the Japanese captured Changghua and Taiwan Fu from the Formosan rebels after severe fighting in the latter part of August. The Japanese, at last accounts, were marching on Anping, where the rebels are concentrated. The Japanese army in Formosa, which numbers 60,000 men, will have to be reinforced, as the troops are worn out with the hardships of the campaign. It is added that 8,200 Japanese soldiers are in the hospitals in Formosa.

**Alleged Bank Thieves Fight Extradition.**

OMAHA, Sept. 25.—Nebraska's governor yesterday decided to honor the requisition of Missouri's chief executive for Foster and Barnes, alleged bank thieves, wanted at Kansas City for robbing banks of large sums by the ancient deposit game. They at once applied for a habeas corpus writ, which will be argued next Monday. The men are well supplied with funds, and are making a desperate effort to avoid returning to Missouri. They were captured in Omaha while attempting to work a bank.

## Valkyrie Will Remain Awhile.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The World says: It may be safely stated that Valkyrie III will not cross the ocean this year. She will, unless all signs play false, be laid up for the winter at South Brooklyn or the Erie basin. Lord Dunsraven's change of front is in reality not so sudden as it seemed to those who took a trip down to the Erie basin expecting to see Valkyrie departing, and found instead the crew busy unloading her stores and carrying them aboard the City of Bridgeport.

## DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

State Democracy Withdraws from the State Convention.

WILL FIGHT AGAINST TAMMANY.

The Leaders of the Anti-Tammany Organization Declare They Will Support an Independent Ticket for County Officers, but Will Support the State Ticket.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 25.—The Democratic state convention finished its work yesterday by nominating these officers: For secretary of state, Horatio C. King of Brooklyn; comptroller, John B. Judson of Gloversville; state treasurer, D. C. Dow of Cobleskill; attorney general, Norton Chase of Albany; state engineer, Russell R. Stuart of Syracuse; judge of the court of appeals, John D. Teller of Auburn.

The convention then adopted its platform of principles substantially as already published. The excise plank is as follows: "Equal and honest enforcement of all laws; a proper observance of day of rest, and an orderly Sunday; modifications or repeal of laws unsupported by public opinion; no unjust sumptuary laws; recognition of the fundamental American principle of freedom of conscience; home rule in excise, as well as in other matters, within reasonable limitations established to protect the interests of temperance and morality, and an amendment of the excise and other laws by the legislature of the state which shall permit each municipality expressing its sentiments by a popular vote of a majority of its citizens to determine within such proper legislative restrictions as shall be required by the interests of the entire state what may best suit its special necessities and conditions."

Within two hours after the close of the convention the delegations had taken regular and special trains for home. There has been an absolute lack of enthusiasm for up country delegates are angry that an understanding was not arrived at with the State Democracy people, and Tammany, while exultant at the State Democracy's defeat, is still quite disgruntled at the platform declaration on excise.

Never at any political gathering did so much depend upon the admission of contesting delegations, and never were plans so rudely broken as when the State Democracy refused to enter the convention. In the morning Norton Chase, of Albany, was running for comptroller and John B. Judson, of Fulton, was looking for state treasurer, while Augustus Schen, of Erie, was slated for comptroller and Daniel B. Griffin, of Watertown, was considered the choice for attorney general. An hour before the time set for the meeting of the convention the slate was unchanged, and the platform as already sent by the Associated Press, very little changed.

Half an hour later both Daniel Griffin and Augustus Schen had declined to allow their names to be used. Judson was transferred to the comptrollership, Dow of Schoharie was slated for state treasurer, and Norton Chase was put on the slate for attorney general, although he had never been mentioned for the office. The nominations were rapidly put through by the convention and with no great enthusiasm. The results detailed were all because of the withdrawal of the delegates of the State Democracy.

Various reasons were given for the sudden changes in the slate. Mr. Schen, of Erie, who had been turned down in the comptrollership fight, was very bitter. He said that the personal enmity of one of the leaders was the cause. A friend of his stated that the reason was that Herbert Bissell refused to nominate him, and Mr. Schen would not run unless the nomination was made by a Cleveland adherent.

Daniel Griffin said, when asked by the Associated Press reporter for his reason for withdrawing:

"Had my name been presented to the convention I would have been nominated unanimously. But after the report of the majority of the committee on credentials had been adopted by the committee I labored so far as I could to procure the adoption of the minority report by the convention, believing that the situation in New York county logically required the same treatment as had already been made in the case of Kings county. Before the report had been adopted I saw my friends and said to them that if the report of the majority of the committee in the New York city contest should be endorsed I would not become a candidate, and I adhered to that position."

When the State Democracy people left the rink after being denied more representation, they were in a flashing foam and continued so until late last night. The leaders were very free in their expressions of disapproval, and here are some of their remarks:

Corporation Counsel Frank M. Scott: "The action of the convention ratifying the report of the committee on credentials made it impossible for the State Democracy to retain the seats, and at the same time the convention has abandoned the regular organization of the city of New York, and that the members of the State Democracy had no right to participate in the organization of the Democratic convention."

John DeLoon, president of the board of aldermen of New York: "We are going back to pulverize Tammany Hall. It is not the giving to us of one-fifth of the delegation that we object to, but the action of the convention in humiliating us. If we have no state committee or representatives in the party organization, we will fight them on county and legislative tickets, and beat them."

Theodore Starr: "The effect will be to drag many of the German American votes away from the nominees of the convention and Tammany Hall."

John J. Quinlan: "We are going back to fight them to the end. While we will not endorse the local Republican nominees we may support a consolidated ticket, the same as we did last year."

Charles S. Fairchild: "We left the convention because we were humiliated by the ratification of the report of the committee on contested seats, which did not

give up representation in the councils of the party, only allotting us a few seats. We will nominate independent county and district tickets."

Robert Grier Myers, coroner Hoebner and Charles G. O'Brien expressed similar sentiments.

The new Democratic state committee met at the Yates after the adjournment of the convention and elected officers as follows: Chairman, James W. Hinekey; secretary, James Cunniff, to succeed John B. Judson; treasurer, Perry Belmont; clerk, Charles DeForest; sergeant-at-arms, Len H. Wager. The only new officer is James Cunniff.

## THE IRISH AGITATORS.

Radical Speeches Against England at the Chicago Convention.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Ex-Congressman Timony was chosen permanent chairman of the Irish convention yesterday, and made a fiery speech, in the course of which he said:

"We are the friends of every enemy of England," he said, "and the enemy of every friend of England, and we want to drive it home and nail it to the mast until the teeth of the lying Whigs are loosened from their sockets, and fall from their lying mouths. Today Ireland is the kept harbor of the spoils of the Empire. Some of our papers seem to be afraid we may complicate this country with England. Suppose we do? Let the English dare to fire the first shot. We sound today the death knell of Whiggery in Irish politics."

At the afternoon session the chairman read a clipping from The Pall Mall Gazette, which favored meeting the Irish half way in their struggles for independence. The reading was received with loud applause, and the delegates seemed to think that it was the first symptom that England would give attention to their demands.

The session was spent in speechmaking, and all the speeches were of the most radical character. O'Donovan Rossa seemed to voice the sentiments of the majority when he said:

"I am not in favor of waiting. In my judgment the time to strike is when you are ready, and the place to strike is England. All this talk of organizing to fight the English out of England is very well, but it has no terror for England. Now is the time for us to strike and the quicker the better."

## Cleveland to Pittsburgh by Electricity.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 25.—Within the last few days representatives of New York capitalists have been in this city consulting with Crosby Thompson, an electric railway proprietor, as to the advisability of building an electric road between Cleveland and Pittsburgh. They assured him that they would produce from \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000 ready capital. His verdict was that it would require \$10,000,000 to construct an electric railroad well enough equipped to compete with the steam railroads. The New Yorkers returned home to consult their principals.

## A Russo-Chinese Bank.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—Delegates of French and Russian bankers have gone to Shanghai on business connected with the scheme for the establishment at that place of a Russo-Chinese bank. The capital of the projected bank will be \$4,000,000. The reports which have been published of a Franco-Russian loan for China are without foundation.

## American Liner Paris Overdue.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The American liner Paris, which left this port for Southampton at 11 a. m. last Wednesday, has not been reported by cable. She is thirty hours overdue her usual time. The Majestic, which cleared Sandy Hook bar at 6 p. m. the same day, reached Queenstown on Tuesday.

## Constitutional Amendment Defeated.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 25.—The special election held yesterday to decide the question of biennial state elections and the division of Providence into representative districts, at a late hour seemed likely to result in the defeat of the amendment to the constitution embodying the proposed change.

## Silver Ingots Stolen in Transit.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Silver ingots of a total weight of 55,000 ounces, which had been shipped by Victor & Co., Swansea, to Sharp & Williams, London, were stolen from the van in which they were shipped while in transit from the Midland depot. There is no clue to the robbers.

## Two Killed by a Train.

BORDETOWN, N. J., Sept. 25.—Henry Fletcher, aged 35 years, and Henry Myers, aged 40, both colored, were killed on a passenger train while driving across the tracks of the Amboy division of the Pennsylvania railroad, near Hightstown. The horse balked on the track.

## The Amnesty Bill Rejected.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A Parliamentary dispatch to The Times says that the general amnesty bill has been rejected in the chamber of deputies by a vote of 15 to 53. Much excitement and disorder prevailed.

## NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Mayor Schieren, of Hottel, announces that he will not accept a re-election.

A gas rate war in Kansas City, Mo., has reduced the price to consumers to fifty cents per 1,000 feet.

Senator A. O. Bacon, of Georgia, was one of the passengers on the steamer Teutonic, which arrived at New York yesterday.

Representatives of the Wabash railroad at Kansas City positively deny the report that a strike is imminent among the trainmen on that line.

Reports from Republican primaries in Massachusetts show an overwhelming sentiment in favor of the re-nomination of Governor Greenhalgh.

A Washington dispatch stating that the Saturna, a four masted clipper, is being fitted out in Oakland creek for a piratical cruise to lower California, is not credited in San Francisco.

The Mexican congress passed a bill prohibiting stores and municipalities from entering foreign or domestic merchandise or in transit through their respective jurisdictions.

## ENGLISH YACHT WINS.

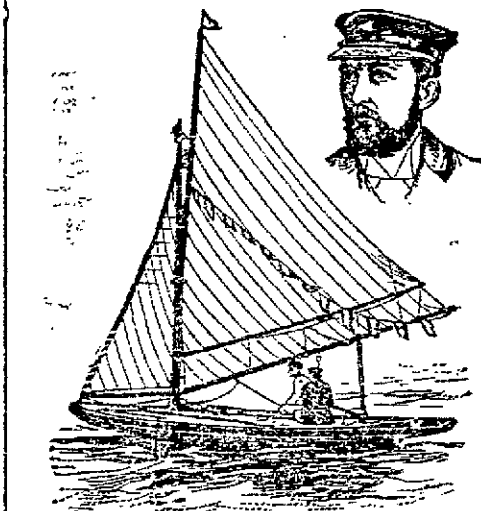
Little Spruce IV Defeats Our Little Cup Defender.

THE RACE CLOSELY CONTESTED.

The American Yacht Defeated by Only Twenty-three Seconds in a Twelve Mile Run—Ethelwynn's Commander Did Too Much Experimenting.

OSTER BAY, L. I., Sept. 25.—The second race between the half raters Spruce IV, the English boat, and Ethelwynn, representing the Indian Harbor Yacht club of Connecticut, for the international challenge cup offered by the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht club of New York, was won by the English boat by twenty-three seconds. The race was over a triangular course laid on Long Island sound, each leg of two miles, and the course was sailed twice over, making a total of twelve miles. The Lilliputian yachts were sent away at 12:30.

Before the racers got half over the first leg, which was to be a reach, the wind hauled to the eastward, and they had to



SPRUCE IV AND J. ARTHUR BRAND.

beat the rest of the way to the first turn. Spruce showed good judgment at this early stage of the game by remaining in closer to the shore and avoiding the rough water. Ethelwynn was compelled to make a tack more than Spruce before she got around the first mark, but she got there three minutes ahead of the challenger. On the next leg it was a broad reach, on which point of sailing the Britisher was said to be at her best. But she did not crawl up on her rival. On the contrary she lost fifty-four seconds.

Then the boats headed for home to complete the first round. This leg was a close reach, and on it Spruce gained on Ethelwynn six seconds, and when they started on the first leg of the second round there was only three minutes and fifty-eight seconds between them. Then the wind shifted to the southward again and Spruce came up and blanketed Ethelwynn, passing the American and leaving a clear length of water between her taffrail and Ethelwynn's bow.

Within an eighth of a mile of the first mark on the second round Spruce passed



THE ETHELWYNN AND C. J. FIELD.

Ethelwynn, but the Yank immediately drew ahead again, only to surrender to Spruce within three minutes. Again Ethelwynn went ahead, turning the final mark thirty-one seconds before her antagonist.

On the last leg Mr. Field ran up half a dozen jibs before he got through with his experiments, and in that sort of monkey business lost time enough to have won the race. Mr. Field carried out a policy of long tacks, while Mr. Brand went about so often that onlookers declared he was tacking twice to Field's once. The breeze was blowing six knots an hour when the boats began this heat, but before they reached the finish it had dropped to four. Ethelwynn stood on a long board to the eastward, while Spruce by making her small sized tacks scooted over the line close hauled twenty-three seconds ahead of the American boat, which had eased off sheets for away from the finish, and came ahead very fast, but too late. The time of Spruce IV for the twelve miles was 3:55:14.

"It was beaten by too many jibs," said Mr. Field, when he returned to the club house after the race. "I did too much experimenting. I had six of these same head sails aboard, and I tried them all before I discovered that there were four too many. If I had held on to a small one on the little bearing that we had to do, and one of good size in reaching, Ethelwynn would have made a better showing."

## Baby Killed, Mother Fatally Injured.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 25.—Near Independence, a team of mules driven by Howard Mott ran away and dashing into a canyon hurled Mrs. Mott and baby upon the rocks below, and instantly killed the baby and injured the mother so badly that it is feared she will die.

## Heavy Rain Causes Havoc in Spain.

MADRID, Sept. 25.—Heavy rain storms have prevailed in the province of Saragosa, causing rivers and small streams to overflow their banks and doing a great deal of damage to property. The town of Alhama is submerged, and railway traffic is suspended.



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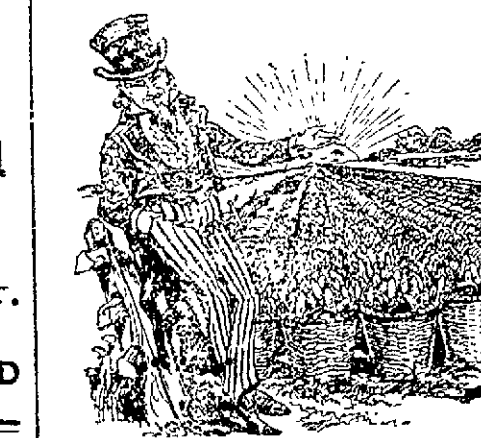
This Enormous Yield Will Act as a Rejuvenating Force Throughout the Land. Not Only the Farmers but All Classes to Be Benefited.



EVERYBODY seems to be agreed that the corn crop of 1895 will be the biggest the United States has been blessed with for many years, far exceeding anything since the crop of 1891 and outmeasuring even that by about 300,000,000 bushels. According to the sharps who make estimates of crops, it would require 2,350,000,000 bushel baskets to hold the enormous crop expected this year, while that of 1891, though much more bountiful than any that had been harvested for a long time previously, amounted to only 2,000,154,000 bushels. It may be that the reader fancies he understands what these figures mean, but the chances are against it. Suppose that all the corn to be harvested in 1895 were put into bushel baskets, and then suppose the baskets were ranged in a straight row. Each basket would take up about 15 inches, so that 3,520 baskets could be set along a line a mile in length. It would then require a straight stretch of 667,613 miles upon which to set all these bushel baskets in line. Possibly that looks like a big story, but you can prove it for yourself by dividing the total number of bushels by the number of bushels that can be set in a mile.

Assuming that you have gone through this little arithmetical calculation and found my figures to be correct, you might next consider with me where such a straight line could be found. If it were started at the earth and run off into space it would reach a good deal more than twice as far as from here to the moon, which is but 240,000 miles away, according to the astronomers. Of course the attempt to run the line into space would not work and obviously it could not be laid out on the little ball which we inhabit and on which all this corn has been raised. For its circumference is only 24,000 miles, perhaps a little less. To simplify the calculation we will assume the distance to be just that. If a lot of men were set to work ranging the baskets in a row at the equator, where the earth's circumference is greatest, they would find, after they had so ranged 84,480,000 of the baskets, that they had made a complete circuit of the globe. Then if they went on with the work, they could repeat this circuit 26 times, making 27 circles of bushels of corn in all, and still have enough surplus baskets to reach 19,613 miles on the twenty-eighth circuit. As each row of baskets would be 15 inches wide, the total width of the belt of bushels thus created would extend over 456 inches or 40½ feet, where there were only 27 rows. Along the 19,613 miles, where there would be 25 rows, the belt would be 42 feet wide. It will readily occur to the ingenious lover of figures that still other calculations might be made by which the magnitude of this enormous corn crop could be brought home to the mind of the reader. They need not be entered into here, though if any reader is desirous of exercising himself in this direction, the writer would suggest that a bushel of corn be shelled by hand, the time required noted and the number of centuries it would take one man to shell this crop unaided by machinery. Without having entered into the matter at all it seems quite likely to the writer that before the luckless individual who had undertaken this task had finished it, he would be of an age compared with which that of Methuselah would be youthful in the extreme.

There are a number of other relations in which to consider this crop which require less tedious calculations. For instance, if the farmers receive on an average, either for the corn or the pork or beef into which it is transformed, cash amounting to 30 cents a bushel, the total amount of money to be turned over to them for this crop will yield the enormous sum of \$705,000,000—that is, about \$10 for each individual in the United States, reckoning the population



EXCISE MAN AND A PART OF HIS BIG CORN CROP.

at 70,000,000. If there are five persons in each family, the sum received for the corn would amount to \$50 a family. Quite two-thirds as much money, or about 20 cents a bushel, will be spent for moving the crop from the farmer to the market. This will amount to \$470,000,000, of which perhaps 30 per cent, or \$141,000,000, will be net profit. This vast sum would be equal to a 5 per cent dividend on a capital of \$2,820,000,000. As a matter of fact, however, it cannot be treated as net profit, by many of the roads, but will have to be used in many cases to offset losses sustained during

the depression with which the country has been cursed during the last two or three years. Of course the corn crop earnings will largely help to lift some roads out of a condition closely approaching bankruptcy, and it will undoubtedly enable such thoroughfares of commerce as have successfully withstood the storm of hard times to add materially to their cash surplus and dividend paying ability. This means trips to Europe and seashore cottages for some moderate stockholders and steam yachts and marble palaces for some big ones. It also means salvation from utter ruin for many whose holdings are not of much consequence in the financial world.

But the meaning of this crop to the wage earners of the country is far more interesting. It is assumed that 70 per cent, or \$329,000,000, of the \$470,000,000 used in moving the corn will be swallowed up in the actual cost of transportation. Reduced to the last analysis, most of this enormous sum will be paid in wages to trainhands, locomotive engineers, trackmen, switchmen, section bosses, and so on. A large sum will also go for new cars, but most of the cost of cars even is finally paid out in wages, and the same is true of the other large sum which will be paid out for coal to make steam to run the engines.

In other words, the great corn crop of 1895 means more work and better wages to lumbermen, who cut the trees and saw them up into boards and timbers for cars; for men of all trades, including carpenters, painters, foundrymen, etc., who are employed in building cars, to miners of iron and miners of coal, to men who cut and get out ties to keep the railroad tracks in order and to many other sorts of workmen, not counting those who make clothes and shoes and hats and furnish food and other necessities and comforts of life to the handlers of the crop. In short, a great corn crop means increased prosperity for almost every one of the inhabitants of that part of the United States located far enough north to be either in the corn producing belt or the territory through which run the railroads over which the abundant stream of golden kernels is transported from the west to the east.

It would be difficult indeed to estimate the enormous benefit one such good crop confers upon the inhabitants of the United States. It means schooling for many a farmer's studious son and daughter, eager to improve a bright intelligence, but unable to do so unless there is money coming in, in comparison



A THOUSAND YEAR JOB.

the abundance, for the crop which has been made during the summer. It means comfortable clothing for thousands and thousands who would otherwise go about shabbily clad. It means other comforts for other thousands and luxuries and the social amenities for many. In fact, it means an enormous forward step for the whole country and is therefore one of the things for which the entire nation should be devoutly thankful.

Already the beneficent influence of this great growth of corn has begun to be felt by all concerned. True, its marketing has not yet begun, for it is yet some weeks before it will be harvested, but it is easy for the farmer to get credit of all sorts when the dealers know that by and by he will have money in comparative plenty, and so, by the process of discounting good fortune in advance for which Americans are noted, the farmer has already begun to buy the things he needs.

In order to be prepared to haul the crop when it is ready for transportation the railroad managers have begun to order cars and to put their roadbeds in better order. Warehouses and elevators are being put in shape, and as the farmers will by and by be buying largely of manufactured goods with the money they receive for the corn, factories and mills of various sorts are piling up stocks of merchandise which will be moved west in return for the corn and the pork and beef to be moved east. Wheels are now turning in many manufacturing centers that would be idle were it not for this corn crop. Workmen are drawing wages who would otherwise be wondering whether times would ever improve again or not. Commercial travelers are starting out on their fall trips with brighter hopes for quick sales and good commissions than they have had for two or three years. Business men are getting ready to advertise as soon as the fall season of buying shall begin. In short, the lifeblood of prosperity, which has been quickened and oxygenized by the phenomenal yield of corn, is beginning to pulsate everywhere.

One feature which always attends the harvesting and transportation of a great crop is apt to escape the general observer, and that is that, while the prosperity of the farmer in such cases depends upon the price of the corn, the prosperity of those who move and handle it is about the same whether the market is high or low. This is because, regardless of the price at which the corn is sold, the railroads charge a virtually uniform rate for transportation. Interesting just here may be the prices at which corn has been held for the past four years on Dec. 1, by which time the new crop is well in course of delivery: In 1891 cash corn in New York was worth 75 cents on that date; in 1892, 51 cents; in 1893, 45½ cents; in 1894, 58 cents.

I. D. MARSHALL.

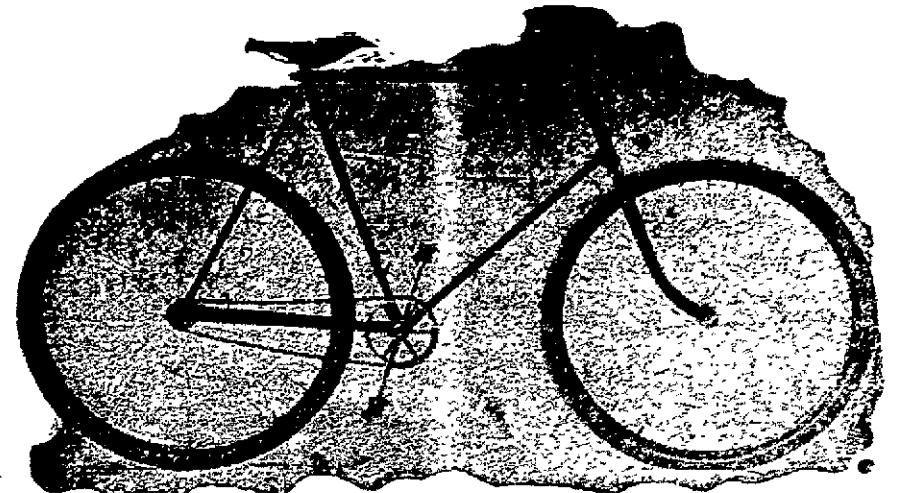
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**Rearrested at the Prison Gate.**  
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—As soon as Henry D. Shaw, alias Joseph Howell, and Miram Bates, alias Lewis Latham, stepped from behind the big gates at the Eastern penitentiary yesterday, where they were confined since January, 1891, for attempting to burgle a retired merchant, Edwin Ford, out of \$3,000. Detectives Ulrich and Tate were on hand and promptly took them into custody again on similar charges coming from other cities. They are wanted for grand larceny, burglarious and highway robbery in Urbana, Ill.; Pittsburg, Springfield, O.; Greensburg and Uniontown, Pa.; Tiffin and Troy, O.; Greenfield, Fond du Lac and Rockville, Ind. The hauls in the various places, it is said, aggregate \$21,000.

**Wedded and Widowed in an Hour.**  
HUNTINGDON, Pa., Sept. 24.—Jesse Morningstar and Mary E. Bower, of Juniata township, about three miles from here, were married yesterday afternoon. An hour afterwards, while the bride was sitting on her husband's lap, reading the marriage certificate, one of the guests handed the newly married man a loaded gun. In doing so the weapon was accidentally discharged, and the entire load entered Morningstar's head, tearing away the upper part of the skull and inflicting injuries which caused instant death. The bride was bespattered with her husband's brains.

**Griggs' Probable Opponent.**  
TRENTON, Sept. 24.—All the indications point to the nomination of Chas. McGill for governor by the Democratic convention, which met here at noon today. There have been no very warm contests, and most of the delegations are unpledged. In the rural districts there has been a very strong sentiment for Augustus W. Currier, who has been working for the nomination, particularly among the farmers, but in the cities and county towns it is all for McGill, with a little feeling now and then for Justice Lippincott.

**Captain Keville's Sayer Captured.**  
BALTIMORE, Sept. 24.—Benjamin Johnson, the negro who killed Captain Benjamin F. Keville, of the schooner John A. H. Dixon, in the Potomac river Sunday night, was arrested here yesterday. He confesses to the murder, and pleads as a justification that he misunderstood an order of the captain, who approached him in a threatening manner, and in self defense he struck him with a biller of wood. The man arrested on suspicion on Tuesday has been released.

**New Jersey State Prisoners Acquitted.**  
TRENTON, Sept. 24.—The summing up in the trial of Knut R. Johnson, Knutson and Johnson, for conspiracy to defraud the state in connection with a printing contract, was finished yesterday. Counselor Kallisch making the final argument for Knutson and Johnson, and closing for the state. The jury retired at 12:15 p. m. In five minutes they returned with a verdict of acquittal, which was received by the people in the court room with applause.

**Fatal Duel Over a Girl.**  
THOMASTOWN, Ga., Sept. 24.—News has reached this city of a very bloody and prompt duel between C. W. Ragan and M. T. Shaw, two young men living near Meigs. The fight occurred across the line in Mitchell county. Each man fired five shots at his antagonist, four shots taking effect in each case. Ragan was killed on the spot, while Shaw was mortally wounded and died yesterday. It is said the young men quarreled over a girl.

**The New Cup Challenge.**  
RYDE, Isle of Wight, Sept. 24.—A special meeting of the Royal Victoria Yacht club has been called for Saturday next, at which the form of the challenge for the America's cup by Mr. Charles Day Rose will be considered. The challenge will probably be dispatched to New York by steamer sailing on Thursday, Oct. 5.

**New Jersey Forest Fires Continue.**  
Egg Harbor City, N. J., Sept. 24.—The forest fires continue burning fiercely. The fruit orchards and crops of Lewis Young were destroyed and several dwellings in the path of the fire are greatly endangered. There is no immediate prospect of an end to the fires.

**A Hundred Lives Lost in a Landslide.**  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 24.—Advises received here from Beirut, in the Arabian provinces of Yemen report that 100 lives have been lost by a landslide which overwhelmed the village of Hodeya.

**A Described With Long Journey.**  
READING, Pa., Sept. 24.—Louis Rononki, a Russian Hebrew, residing on Cedar street near Elm, was arrested at the instance of his wife, Emma, who charges him with desertion. Mrs. Rononki arrived from Russia only a few days ago, having traveled 4,000 miles in search of her husband.

**Hope for Harry Wright's Recovery.**  
ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 24.—The condition of Harry Wright, the veteran baseballist, is very much improved. He is resting quietly. Dr. Bennett, the attending physician, now has great hopes for his recovery.

**John R. Gentry's Remarkable Heat.**  
DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 24.—Seven thousand people saw yesterday's races at Nutwood Park. In the special pacing, third heat Gentry made the fastest record of the season and the fastest third heat ever paced or trotted—2:03 1/2.

**Expelled from the Stock Exchange.**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The governing committee of the New York Stock Exchange decided to expel John B. Manning, a broker, a consignor of Union Pacific bonds by creating indorsements showing transfers.

**The Texas Prize Fight Controversy.**  
ARLINGTON, Tex., Sept. 24.—A petition for a writ of mandamus to compel State Comptroller Pinkett to issue a prize fight license has been filed with Justice Denman of the state court, but it will hardly be acted on until the first Monday in next month, when court meets. A mandamus has also been served on Col. W. Williams, of this county, to compel him to issue prize fight license. The case is brought by county officers to test the law. Should the decision favor the law, Judge Hunt's opinion it is believed that the fight will take place.

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AMONG THE LIFE SAVERS.

An Important Branch of Christian Endeavor Society Work.

The Christian Endeavor society, in connection with its varied activities, is now engaged in a comparatively new work, that of ministering to the spiritual and intellectual needs of life savers and lighthouse keepers. It is a most commendable work, and already its good effects have been manifested. Thousands of men in sequestered spots along the seacoasts have been benefited by it, and into their lives, fraught with perils and hardships, have been infused more of brightness and comfort. This work was inaugurated four years ago, the originator of the movement being the Rev. S. Edward Young of Asbury Park. In 1891 Rev. Mr. Young held the first religious service in a life saving station on the New Jersey coast. It was taken up almost immediately by Endeavorers in various quarters of the globe, and the good work has spread marvelously.

The foremost object is to give the life savers the blessings of religious privileges, and services are now held quite regularly in stations all over the world. Another purpose is to furnish them good, wholesome literature and so far as possible minister to their creature comforts. To isolated stations and far-off lightships books and papers are regularly sent. Another way in which the Endeavorers add to the happiness of these neglected "heroes of the shore" in every clime is to send them "comfort bags," containing various small useful articles, with a Testament and a bright, cheery letter for the recipient.

Rev. S. Edward Young, to whom the life savers and lighthouse keepers the world over have reason to be thankful, is as youthful as his name indicates. He was born in Ohio in 1866 and was educated for the ministry at Princeton Theological seminary. He is now pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church at Asbury Park. He is most zealously devoted to the work among life savers and lighthouse keepers in connection with the Endeavor society and is chairman of the international committee having this in charge. He did vigorous and effective service toward increasing the pay of these brave servants of humanity, and the increase was some time ago granted by congress.

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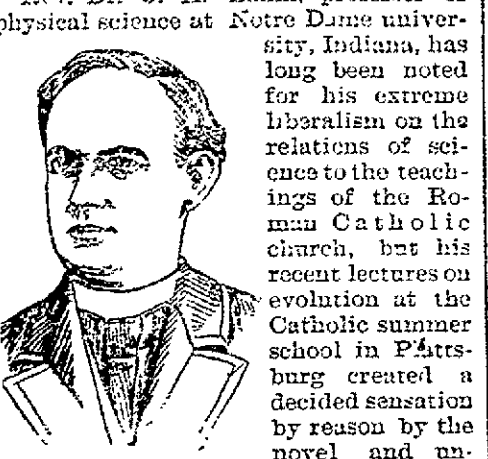
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DR. ZAHM ON EVOLUTION.

His Liberal Views Have Created a Sensation in the Roman Catholic Church.



Rev. Dr. J. A. Zahm, professor of physical science at Notre Dame university, Indiana, has long been noted for his extreme liberalism on the relations of science to the teachings of the Roman Catholic church, but his recent lectures on evolution at the Catholic summer school in Pottsville created a decided sensation by reason of the novel and unorthodox opinions advanced. Conservatives are breathing hints of heresy, and rumors of a possible church trial are freely circulated. The doctor and his friends, however, profess to fear no such result. The following portion of the doctor's lecture is one to which exception has been taken:

"The evolution of the body of man from some inferior animal and the subsequent endowment in this body by God of a rational soul is antagonistic to no dogma of faith and may be shown to be in harmony with the teachings of St. Thomas. The theory may encounter certain grave difficulties in the domains of metaphysics and Biblical exegesis, but I do not think that such difficulties are insuperable. At all events, whatever one may be disposed to think of the theory, it is well always to bear in mind that it has never been condemned by the church, although it has been publicly discussed and defended for full five and twenty years."

Father Zahm's degree of doctor was lately conferred upon him by the pope, proprio motu, and it is an interesting fact that the only other scientist upon whom this honor has been conferred from the Vatican is St. George Mivart, whose excursion into forbidden fields of belief and its sequel of reprimand and recantation are well remembered. It is asked by not a few whether such a fate is not in store for Dr. Zahm.

Dr. Zahm was born of German and Irish parentage at New Lexington, O., in 1841. In 1871 he was graduated at the Notre Dame university and soon afterward entered the Congregation of the Holy Cross, which was founded at Notre Dame 50 years ago by the celebrated Father Sorin. For a quarter of a century Dr. Zahm has been professor of physics in the faculty of his alma mater. During that time he has traveled widely and has contributed largely to scientific and religious periodicals. He was the first American to be elected a member of the Societe Francaise de Physique.

Coat Tail Buttons.

The buttons at the backs of our coats are a survival. Formerly there was a buttonhole in the forward corner of each skirt, and when a gentleman was walking or riding he turned his skirts and buttoned them to the bottom at his back. The buttons on the wrists of our coats are relics of the days when the sleeves were so long that they covered the tips of the fingers, and the cuffs were turned back and buttoned when the hands were employed.

Mohammed.

The chief feature of Mohammed's face was the pair of great, lustrous eyes that shone out from his swarthy countenance. They were intensely black and glittering, and when he was angry they seemed to turn green. Otherwise his face was not prepossessing.

When the Erie canal was being excavated, live mollusks were found in a gravel stratum at a depth of 45 feet from the surface.

How to Judge a Book.

We knew that the Moslems, when they conquered Persia, found in that country an innumerable quantity of books and scientific treatises, and that their general, Saad Ibn Abi Oueccas, asked Caliph Omar by letter if he would allow him to distribute those books among the true believers with the rest of the booty. Omar answered him in these terms: "Throw them into the water. If they contain anything which can guide men to the truth, we have received from God what will guide us much better. If they contain errors, we shall be wiser of them, thank God." In consequence of this order the books were thrown into the water and the fire, and the literature and science of the Persians disappeared.—Notices & Extracts.

The Corn Figures.

Heard at a heap of dry goods labeled \$1.69:

Irish Woman (with a baby in her arms)—What is the price of them?

"One dollar and sixty-nine," pointedly answered the proprietor.

"Which are the \$1 and which the 69 cent value?"

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"Shure, thin, ain't thim yer own figures?"—Boston Transcript.



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THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 1895

## JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted at the Democratic Judicial Convention of 1894, for the second judicial department, authorizing and directing the chairman of that convention to name the time and place for the holding of the next Democratic Judicial Convention for that district, I do hereby designate the County Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, as the place, and October 21, 1895, at 12 o'clock, as the time for that convention to meet for the selection of three candidates for supreme court justice in the second judicial department.

ROBERT STEWART, Chairman Democratic Judicial Convention, 1894.  
Address—JOS. FITCH, Secretary Democratic Judicial Convention, 1894.  
Dated Brooklyn, Sept. 12th, 1895.

## DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the Twenty-third Senatorial District are hereby requested to send forty-eight (48) delegates to represent them in the Senatorial Convention, to be held at the Casino, in the city of Middletown, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20, 1895, at 1 o'clock p. m. The said delegates to be apportioned as follows: Rockland county, sixteen (16) delegates; Orange county, thirty-two (32) delegates; to be apportioned to the several towns and wards, as follows: Each town and ward to elect one delegate, with the exception of the town of Newburgh, which is requested to send three delegates.

E. A. BROWN, Chairman.  
MICHAEL MCCABE, Secretary.  
A. S. ROBERTSON, Senatorial Committee.  
JOHN P. WALSH, Committee.  
GEORGE DICKIE, Committee.  
J. ROBERT SUFFERN, Committee.  
Dated Newburgh, Sept. 10th, 1895.

## TOWN OF WAWATANDA.

The Democratic electors of the town of Wawavatanda are requested to meet at the house of Wm. H. Green, in the city of Newburgh, Sept. 26th, at 2 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the Senatorial Convention, and to transact all business that may be called for before the meeting.

C. B. FULLERTON, Town Committee.  
Dated State Hill, Sept. 17th, 1895.

## TOWN OF MINING.

The Democratic electors of the town of Mining are requested to meet at Onondaville's Hotel, Westtown, Tuesday, Oct. 1st, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the Senatorial Convention, and to transact all business that may be called for before the meeting.

By order Town Committee.  
Dated Westtown, Sept. 25th, 95.

The re-election of James W. Hinkley, of Poughkeepsie, to the chairmanship of the Democratic State Committee, meets with the hearty approval of all Democrats. He is a skillful politician and brings to the service of his party zeal, enthusiasm and a high order of intelligence.

The crop results of 1895 are no longer debatable issues, as the harvest is practically over with and, taken altogether, it is a great year of the earth's yields. Wheat is not up to the average good year, but corn has fairly outdone itself, making a record that years to come will not eclipse. The oat crop is a prodigious one, the greatest, all reports agree, ever made. Cotton is not up to the high mark of recent years, but the deficiency is a blessing to the planter, for the market price of one bale is almost equal to the sum two bales brought six months ago. All of which means there is work ahead for everyone, that there is crowded business in sight for transportation lines and quickened impulse for each and every industry of the country.

Quay's victory in Pennsylvania and Platt's absolute control of Republican politics in this State have had the effect of driving ex-President Harrison from the Presidential race. Mr. Harrison knows that he can expect nothing but bitter opposition from these shapers of Republican policy in these important States, and makes haste to get from under. It is announced on the authority of a Republican leader of national reputation that McKinley is to be the legatee of what is left of Harrison's boom,—not that he loves McKinley more but because he hates him less than he does Tom Reed.

Anxious as were the delegates to the State Convention to secure harmony and union all along the line, they could not reconcile the conflicting demands of Tammany and the State Democracy. Under party usage the regularity of the Tammany delegates had to be conceded and the State Democracy rejected the one-fifth representation which the convention granted it as a matter of courtesy, and withdrew from the hall. Had more liberal treatment been accorded the State Democracy, Tammany would, no doubt, have revolted. Neither faction cared much for the State ticket and representation in the State convention was of value only as it helped or hindered in the fight for the possession of the imperial patronage of the city of New York. Union of the factions on a local ticket was impossible, and the withdrawal of the State Democracy in no way alters the conditions of the city campaign. The leaders of the organization say that the State ticket will be supported heartily. No other course is open to the organization unless it belies its name for the candidates are unexceptionable and the platform is sound and outspoken. The withdrawal of the State Democracy shows an apparent lack of harmony, but in no way alters or

changes Democratic prospects in the State, which even Republicans concede are brighter than they have been in two years.

The authorities of New York city have decided to appeal from the decision of the General Term of the Supreme Court sustaining the levy of \$1,400,000 for State appeal of the Insane. Formal notice of appeal was served on Controller Roberts, yesterday. It is hoped that the case can be heard by the Court of Appeals at the next term, which begins Oct. 7.

## THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

Gen. Horatio O. King, nominated for Secretary of State, is a native of Maine. After graduating from Dickinson College in 1858, he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1861. In 1862 he entered the army as Captain and was promoted to Major for gallant and meritorious service. At the close of the war he settled in Brooklyn and has since resided there. In 1883 he was appointed Judge Advocate General on Gov. Cleveland's staff. He has been Recording Secretary of the Army of the Potomac for fourteen years, has been twice Commander of his Post of the G. A. R. and Judge Advocate of the Department of New York.

John B. Judson, nominated for Comptroller, is a prominent citizen of Gloversville, where he is engaged in the printing and real estate business. He has always been active in Democratic politics but has never before been a candidate for office. He has been a member of the State Committee since 1893 and its Secretary for the past year.

DeWitt C. Dow, nominated for State Treasurer, is cashier of the First National Bank of Cobleskill, with which he has been connected since 1870. He has been County Treasurer of Schoharie county for two terms.

Norton Chase, the candidate for Attorney General, is one of Albany's most prominent lawyers. He has been in active practice for only thirteen years, but he has been retained in many of the most important cases that have arisen in Albany and its vicinity, and has given such proofs of legal ability as to command the confidence of all. He was elected to the Assembly in 1885, and to the Senate in 1887, and served in both bodies with conspicuous ability.

Russell R. Stuart, nominated for State Engineer, is a civil engineer, who for many years has been employed on the canals. He served with distinction during the war, but this fact did not prevent his removal when the Republicans came into power two years ago.

John D. Teller, nominated for Judge of the Court of Appeals, is a leading lawyer of Auburn, where he has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession since 1872. He is held in the highest esteem for his personal character and professional ability, and although Cayuga county is strongly Republican was elected its Surrogate in 1883. He has never refused to make sacrifices for his party, and in 1887 accepted a hopeless nomination for Supreme Court Judge and one for State Senator in 1889.



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UP THE MIDLAND.

Scarlet Fever—The Apple Crop—Sullivan County Politics—The Mistle Case Appealed—Looks Like a Mistake—Where Devils Abound—Not Up to the Standard—Cream Will Be Scarce.

Correspondence ANSUS and MERCURY.  
—The Price family, near Roscoe, has had a case of scarlet fever for the past week.

—The apple crop up this way is far better than could have been expected considering the drought and frost.

—If Sullivan county does not go Democratic this fall it will be close enough to make it interesting. The Republican brethren have a fight on.

—The case of Sipple against the Roscoe-Rockland Water Company has been carried to a higher court. Sipple has won the case all the way through. If water companies would secure the right to the water before they laid the pipe it would come cheaper.

—It is the opinion of some of the good people of Rockland that the pastor of the M. E. Church "stopped over" when he refused to hold funeral services over the wife of Lee Martin, for no other reason than that it would conflict with his regular appointment. I am told that the deceased was a member of the church, all of which makes it the more strange.

—The Norwich Telegraph recently advertised for a devil. Judging from the way the Baptist brethren have been acting in that village, for the past six months, the supply of devils ought to be plenty. It would seem that if they were all cast out of the leaders of both factions of that church there would be a full supply for the Sun, Telegraph and Union of offices and Chenango Lake full besides. In the language of the Sage of Mamakating, "devils are plenty in Norwich."

—The principal of the Roscoe school, Mr. Butz, of near Allentown, Pa., has abandoned the school after teaching two weeks, and returned to his home a sadder, if not a wiser man. The school was all right, but the professor could not pass sufficiently high to get a certificate in "York State," and had to back down completely as he was "way off" on everything. The strangest part of the whole matter is that he is a graduate of Yale College and had the right to attach A. M. to his signature, which means that he was an *artium magister*, or to be more plain, master of arts. Can it be possible that the standard of New York's common schools is too high for a graduate from the Elm City's crack institution? Where are we at, anyway?

—There will of necessity be a great scarcity of cream in the New York market, provided the creamerymen continue as they have begun. They have formed a pure milk association composed entirely of creamerymen and dealers, which it costs each member \$50 to join, and it found adulterating their milk in any way they will be compelled to "walk the plank" and drop their initiation fee. They will necessarily have to give up the practice of skimming, (the reader is no doubt looking for a joke between these lines, but I am not in a joking mood just now) and that of itself will materially cut off the supply of cream to such an extent as to bring the price up to \$15 a can. As there is a lull in a loss without a consequent gain, skim milk will then go begging for a purchaser at all the creameries along the milk roads leading into New York. This matter will be treated more fully at some future time or as soon as the new pure milk association begins to show good results. Keep an eye out.

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## THE ARGUS.

**OPEN EVENINGS.**  
THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS.

**BY UNITED PRESS.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 25.—Fair, cooler Friday, preceded by thunder storms this afternoon or evening. Wind shifting to westerly.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:  
7 a. m., 68°; 12 m., 82°; 3 p. m., 80°.

**AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.**  
—Sept. 25-26—Alphonse King's comic water show, at Midway Park.  
—Sept. 27—"Girl Wanted," at Casino.  
—Sept. 28—"The Silver King," at the Casino.  
—Oct. 11—Tom Thumb wedding, Young People's Society of First Presbyterian Church.  
—Nov. 6 to 9—Chrysanthemum and Flower Show, at Assembly Rooms.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—House on Hanford street to let by Dr. Barnes.  
—Large assortment of ladies' and children's cloaks at the New Idea.  
—Universalist service, at Nearing Hall, to-night.  
—Immense line of silks, gloves, etc., at Welles & Demarest's.  
—Art square and rug sale at Matthews & Co.'s.  
—Dream dress flannel 24 cents a yard at the Economy at 25.  
—Engine and boiler for sale.  
—Newfall clothing at Chas. H. Emde's.  
—Boy wanted to learn the printer's trade.  
—Bum and genuine hair tonic 25 cents a bottle at Uhl's Pharmacy.  
—Hams 11 cents a pound at R. F. Todd's.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—"Silver King" at the Casino, next Monday evening.  
—Don't forget Frank Bush in "Girl Wanted" at the Casino, to-morrow night.  
—Excellors will prepare for the fall parade by drilling at the truck house, Friday and Monday evenings.  
—"Girl Wanted" is one of the funniest plays on the road. It will be presented at the Casino, to-morrow evening.  
—There was a very heavy rain in Ellenville and vicinity, last night—a steady down pour from 9 p. m., to 4 o'clock this morning.  
—Delhi's Water Commissioners rejected an offer of the Delhi Water Company to sell its works for \$50,000 and have bought land for a reservoir and contracted for right of way.  
—It looked very much like rain this morning, and a few drops did fall, but the sun was barely up before the clouds broke away. It's very true that "all signs fail in dry weather."  
—Mr. Isaac Lipfeld received, to-day, by mail a package of cotton bolls from his brother-in-law, Mr. J. Alfred Beathoff, who is in attendance at the great exhibition at Atlanta, Ga. They are a curiosity to north-erners.

## PERSONAL.

—Mr. C. H. Worcester is improving steadily.  
—Mr. Joseph Van Nort, of Scranton, is visiting friends in town.  
—The condition of Mr. Fred Wood, who is sick with pneumonia, remains about the same.  
—Mrs. T. A. Shaw, the dressmaker, has removed from 32 Linden avenue, to 58 East Main street.  
—Rev. William W. Wallace left town, this morning, for New Haven, Conn., to continue his theological studies at Yale College.  
—Capt. W. H. Elwood, of Downsville, father of Postmaster Elwood, is visiting him at his home on Academy avenue.  
—Mrs. Frances P. Beecher, of Port Jervis, is about purchasing a dwelling house in the city of Middletown.  
—Port Jervis Gazette.  
—Mr. Sydney Greenleaf, of New York city, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Greenleaf, of No. 10 Houston avenue.  
—District Deputy Grand Master W. M. Combs will visit Stony Point Lodge, at Haverstraw, Oct. 9th, and will exemplify the third degree of Masonry.

—Mr. W. H. Newman, of 35 Washington street, who has been on a visit of some length to his son, Rev. Arthur Newman, at Bridgmanhampton, L. I., returned home, yesterday.  
—Superintendent of the Poor John P. Monell, whose health has been very poor for some time, was thought to be dying, Tuesday, but was reported as better, yesterday.  
—Mrs. J. T. Hargrave, who has been visiting at the residence of her father, Hon. W. J. Groo, returned to-day to her home at New Haven, Pa.

—Miss Nellie Hanford, of Middletown, who has been spending several days with Mrs. J. W. Gordon, returned home, Wednesday afternoon.  
—Port Jervis Union.  
—Mrs. Sanford Vall, of Unionville, who, for the past two months, has been visiting friends in Binghamton, Buffalo and other cities in the western part of the State, returned, Tuesday, and is now visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Sears, at Otisville.

—Mrs. D. H. Keeler, Jr., and daughter, Amy, have gone to Ellenville, N. Y., to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Helen F. Terwilliger, only daughter of H. H. Terwilliger, to Dr. Percy Sweet, of Boston, which takes place, to-day.

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## HYMNICAL.

Aldrich-Skelton.

Miss Jennie E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Skelton, was married, last night, at the home of her parents on Wickham avenue, to Mr. William H. Aldrich, of this city, by Rev. F. A. Heath, in the presence of a large number of invited guests.

The house was elaborately decorated with flags and evergreens, and the bay window in which the ceremony took place was festooned with "stars and stripes" and adorned with roses and wild flowers.

The bride looked beautiful in white silk ornamented with pearls and ribbons. She wore diamonds presented by the groom.

The bridesmaids, Miss Daisy Thorn, of Monticello, and Miss Edith Tappan, of Middletown, wore white silk and carried bouquets of yellow roses.

The groomsmen were Messrs. Ernest Wood and William Wollenhaupt, and the ushers were Messrs. Osmer Gregory, Ed. Jakley, Lanson Stevens and Charles Lowe.

The maid of honor was Miss Florence Skelton, of New York, and the page Master Percy Tuttle, of Washington, D. C.

The wedding march was played by Miss Mabel Jennings.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents. Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich left town on the Erie's Wells-Fargo Express for a wedding journey, which will include a visit to Albany and other points of interest on the Hudson. On their return they will occupy apartments in the house of the bride's father.

## Hallock-Wilson.

Mr. Ernest Hallock and Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. William Wilson, were married at 7:30 o'clock, last evening, at the residence of the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hallock, on Horton avenue.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Wm. A. Robinson, pastor of the First Congregational Church, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends.

The Argus extends congratulations and best wishes for the happiness and prosperity of Mr. and Mrs. Hallock.

## ED. CASEY'S BABIES.

He Has Four Under a Year Old.

The New York Sun of this morning contains the following:

"There are four babies, all under a year, in the house of Edward F. Casey at 136 Kosciuszko street. Just fifty-one weeks ago Mr. Casey became the parent of twin boys, one of whom, Eugene, is still alive. On Sept. 14 Mrs. Casey added triplets to the family. One of them is a boy, and has been christened Thomas; the others are girls, May and Annie."

Mr. Casey was formerly a resident of this city where he has a host of friends who will join with the Argus in congratulations.

**The Moon Responsible for Dry Weather.**

Some of the weatherwise say that there is no use expecting rain with such a moon as is now seen in the southwestern heavens. They say that the crescent was straight up and down and that until there is a moon with its horns in a different position the earth will suffer from drouth.

**Sudden Death at Campbell Hall.**

P. Flynn dropped dead at Campbell Hall, last night. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of death. Flynn was about fifty years old and for several years has been Car Inspector of the Wallkill Valley Road.

Coroner Decker has been notified.

**Oyster Supper at Pine Bush.**

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Pine Bush M. E. Church will give an oyster supper in the basement of the church, Friday evening, Oct. 4th, 1893. If stormy the next fair evening. All are invited.

**Band Concert and Dance at Midway Park.**

There will be a band concert and free dancing at Midway Park, to-morrow night. Also sacred concert Sunday afternoon, weather permitting.

**Festival and Dance.**

McQuoid Engine Company will hold a festival and dance at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, Oct. 10th.

## The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleaning action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs.

## Are Your Hands Chapped?

If so go to any drug store and ask for a free sample of Liquid Franconia, a new preparation for chapped hands. Large bottles 25c.

## Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1. Go at once, delays are dangerous.

## LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

**NEW JERSEY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.**

Chancellor McGill Likely to Be Nominated After the First Ballot.

BY UNITED PRESS.

TRENTON, Sept. 26.—Judge Carrow, of Camden, has been selected as permanent chairman of the Democratic State convention, which opened in Taylor's Opera House at noon, to-day.

On the first ballot for Governor complimentary votes will be cast for several candidates, but the indications are that Chancellor McGill will then be nominated by acclamation.

## FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE.

Ex-Attorney General Rosendale Nominated by Third District Democrats.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Sept. 25.—The Third Judicial District Democratic Convention was held here, to-day. Among the delegates present were Messrs. Searing, of Kingston, and Longley, of Hudson, and Judge Smith, of Monticello. Ex-Attorney General Rosendale, of Albany, was unanimously nominated for Justice of the Supreme Court.

## ANOTHER AMERICAN VICTORY.

A Baltimorean Wins the Revolver Championship of a London Shooting Club.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Walter Winans, of Baltimore, won the revolver championship of the South London Rifle Club by a score of 324 out of a possible 336.

## A PROTEST BY SPRUCE IV.

BY UNITED PRESS.

CENTRE ISLAND, Sept. 26.—Spruce IV. and Ethelwynn started at 12:30. The breeze is twelve miles an hour. Shortly after the start, while leading by ten lengths, the Spruce hoisted a protest flag, but the committee not knowing the reason for the protest ordered the race continued.

Ethelwynn withdrew at the end of first round, disabled.

## THE CENTRAL'S DIVIDEND.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The New York Central Road declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

## OBITUARY.

David C. Marteenis.

Undertaker Rockafellow received notice, to-day, to take charge of the body of David C. Marteenis, which will arrive in this city from Elmira on Erie train 12, to-morrow morning. It will be taken from here to Binghamton for burial.

Deceased resided in this city at one time. He was a relative of Mr. E. G. Pratt.

## A Card Party.

The Misses Meyer gave a card party at their home on West Main street, last evening. Quite a number of their young friends were present and spent a pleasant evening.

## Real Estate Notes.

—Mrs. Catherine Turner, of Middletown, has purchased the Neiswanger farm, near Edenville, and will reside there in future.

—Gardner & McWilliams, real estate and insurance agents, have sold for the estate of Frank G. Smith, his house and lot, No. 13 Albert street, to parties from out of town.

## Ball Game, To-morrow.

The Middletown will play the Goshen Club on the Asylum grounds, to-morrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

## Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

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## "There is Danger in Delay."

Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio. Price of Cream Balm is 50 cents.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN COSHEN.

Taken Sick in Camp—To-night's Entertainment—To Preach to the Boys—Played with the Britanis—Pay Your School Taxes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Harrison W. Nanny was taken sick in his camp in Canada, and telegraphed Dr. Ward to come to his assistance.

—Regular drill of Dikeman Hose Co., to-night, at 8 p. m.

—Remember the entertainment in Methodist Church parlors, this evening, consisting of recitations and music. Miss Parkhurst, who delighted a large audience at this place, about a year ago, will again be present.

—"The Only Man In Town" will be played at the Junior Auxiliary Fair, to-night, by some of the younger members of the society. A charade will also be acted, and after the entertainment there will be dancing.

—Rev. R. B. Clark will address his remarks to the Boys' Brigade, next Sunday evening.

—We have not seen Old Glory floating over the school building, this fall. What's the matter?

—H. C. Horton and family are visiting his mother, in the town of Minisk.

—Charlie Tierney played centre-field for the Oritani Base Ball Club, yesterday, against the Hackensacks. Oritani won by a score of 7 to 1.

—J. M. Coleman, school tax collector for this district, will receive taxes for two weeks from yesterday, at one per cent, at his residence on Main street.

—The trustees have contracted with Conlin Brothers, of Newark, to put in a steam pump with a capacity of 115,000 gallons a day, at the reservoir. It is proposed to test thoroughly the capacity of the artesian wells. The apparatus arrived last night, and will be placed in position as soon as possible.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Sept. 26.	Close	To-day
Sugar	108 3/4	107 1/2
C. & S. F.	22 1/2	22 1/2
C. & S. F.	86	86
Chicago	79	82 1/2
D. L. & W.	109	109 1/2
D. L. & W.	23 1/2	23
Gen. Electric	124 1/2	124 1/2
U. S. Steel	38 1/2	38 1/2
U. S. Steel	64 1/2	64
U. S. Steel	100	100
U. S. Steel	38 1/2	38 1/2
N. Y. C. & H. E.	102 1/2	103 1/2
N. Y. C. & H. E.	104 1/2	105
Susquehanna & Western	12 1/2	13 1/2
Susquehanna & Western	36 1/2	36 1/2
Manhattan	111 1/2	111 1/2
Southern Ry.	13 1/2	13 1/2
C. & O.	20 1/2	21
C. & O.	21 1/2	21 1/2
C. & O.	77 1/2	77 1/2
U. S. Steel	92 1/2	92 1/2
Nat. Lead	36 1/2	36 1/2
Dec. Wheat	59 1/2	61 1/2
Dec. Corn	28 1/2	28 1/2
May Oats	21	21 1/2
Jan. Pork	29 1/2	29 1/2
Jan. Lard	8 50	8 50

## A Reliable Remedy.

"I feel justified in saying a few words in praise of Hood's pills, because I have experienced remarkable results from their use. I cannot understand how people can expect to cure alarming and painful symptoms like headaches, heart trouble, belching, etc., by taking headache powders and heart stimulants. The only preparation which evinces in every respect, and which I therefore regard as the only reliable remedy, is Hood's pills. They have improved my physical condition wonderfully, and when I am ailing they give prompt relief by removing the cause of the trouble. Being a chemist I have analyzed them and found them uniform and consisting of only harmless vegetable matter." Aus. Overbeck, 274 Tenth avenue, New York city.

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Port Jervis people find some comfort in the drying up of their reservoir; it gave a chance to clean the bottom thoroughly. This work is being done now, and when it is completed the basin will be limed to insure getting rid of the fish.

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See our 50 inch Scotch Mixtures at 75c.

Our 50c Boucle Goods are 42 inches wide, and copies of the latest Scotch effects.

We are showing a line of imported novelties at 85 cts a yard. They retail in New York at \$1.

Our 42 inch Serges at 50c a yard talk for themselves, and make our neighbors talk.

You can buy an all wool 38 inch Serge at 24 cents a yard, worth 40 cents.

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The Sick May Receive Medical Services Free of Charge.

The President and members of the European and American Staff of German, English, Irish, Scandinavian and American Doctors of New York City will be at the Russell House, Middletown, on

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one day only. The sick and afflicted may consult them without charge during their stay.  
If you are incurable they will tell you; therefore incurable is not a take offense if they are rejected, as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure being effected. These Doctors are graduates of the best universities of Europe and America; they are of the highest standing in the medical profession and have had unlimited experience in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases and Deformities. As the latest methods, instruments and appliances of the various schools of both the Old and the New World are familiar to and at the command of this staff of doctors, it is reasonable to believe that in ninety cases out of every hundred a cure can be effected, even when the patients have been given up as incurable by doctors who have had less experience. Do not be discouraged because your doctor cannot give you relief, or even if he tells you that you cannot get well, for it matters not what your disease may be, you can consult the doctors free, and, if curable, they will treat you; if incurable, they will give you such advice as will tend to prolong life and afford you the greatest relief.  
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**THE OLD TIME FRIENDS.**  
"I like to meet the old time friends," the speaker said, "for old time friends are the best part of our lives in the days of long ago."  
And memory's sun upon the past in mellowed light descends.  
I want to see the scenes of old and meet the old time friends!  
"Sweet memory wears them in her crown—her brightest diadem.  
I stretch my arms and I am told—share my heart—my all with them."  
And on their faces that trusting heart with tenderest love depends.  
The dearest friends earth holds for me are still the old time friends!  
Then one walked weeping from the crowd—and no one sought to cheer.  
He grasped the speaker by the hand and fell upon his neck.  
And said, "I'm Jones, the grocery man—though changed and broken."  
I wish you'd add a twenty to that bill of long ago!"  
Then the speaker changed the subject, and he seized a hickory stick.  
And shouted to the audience, "Here's a raving lunatic!"  
And they tumbled him, and they bounded him, and they hustled him, oh, oh!  
They sent him up for thirty days—that friend of long ago!  
—Atlanta Constitution.

## A NIGHT RIDE.

The bicycle is a queer instrument. You think you know all about it; then suddenly you find there are still things to learn. The other evening I got on my bicycle and worked my way for five or six miles through one of the prettiest lanes in England to a country village where a friend of mine lives. The lane which leads to this village is one in which I did a good deal of practicing when I first took to the bicycle some months ago. It is bordered by hedges and trees on each side and looks like a long green tunnel through which the sun sends some fluttering, flickering rays down on the excellent roadway, making a sort of dancing carpet of light and shade, eternally weaving themselves together and mimicking in shadow and sunshine the interlacing of the trees above.

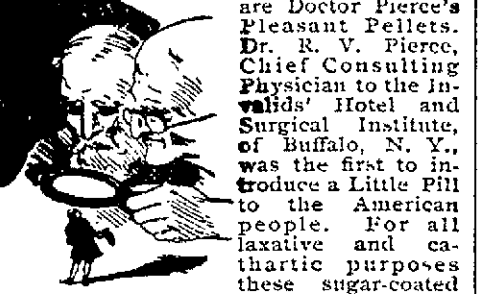
But there is, alas, along the side of this lane a ditch with which I have before now made acquaintance while teaching myself how to ride. It is always a pleasant experience for a bicyclist to revisit a spot where he has had his conflicts with the machine. It gives him a sense of having accomplished something. I recognized all the places where I had been thrown in the ditch and where I had been thrust through the hedge. It was nice to know that these exciting days were past, and that I now rode the machine as if I were a part of it.

The lane is a lonely place at any time of the day. Broader roads and more direct ones lead to the little village I have spoken of, but whose name I need not mention. My friend proved so entertaining that I staid on and on. I was invited to stop for dinner, and I did. I was afterward censured for this, when I ultimately did reach home. People in the country, I was told, were not always prepared to receive unexpected visitors to dinner. It was not the thing to drop down with my bicycle upon a helpless man in the country and then hang around the premises until I was invited to dinner. I am always putting my foot in it this way. It makes me feel guilty afterward, but what is a man to do?

It was pitch dark when I left the house, and when I came to the entrance of the lane it was even darker than pitch, if such a thing be possible. I lit my bicycle lamp for the first time in my life. The lamp had cost me a lot of money and was said to be the best in the market, but when it tried to compete with the appalling darkness of the lane I saw what a futile thing it was. It shed a dim circle of light a long way ahead that didn't seem to me to be of much practical use. I pushed the machine along and sprang lightly on its back. Now I thought I knew how to ride perfectly, but I was to find out that riding in the broad daylight and riding in the darkness are two entirely different things. The machine gave a wobble first in one direction and then in the other and my heart came into my mouth when I found that unless I saw the wheel I did not know how to balance the concern. Sitting down a moment afterward, fortunately not on the side where the ditch was, I had some time to meditate on the situation. The wobble was on top of me, and the lamp was out. This was old times over again, and I had not even the chance in the darkness to select the spot on which to fall. I did not like the idea of tumbling the machine all the way along the lane when I ought to be able to do so much better time on its back, so I rose slowly, placed the machine upright again, and tilted the lamp. The lamp hung on a couple of vacillating flames which apparently were actuated by spasms and gave the lamp a wobbly motion when you joggled unexpectedly over a stone. I got once more upon the machine, this time with better success, and we went along nicely for some distance. Then I got off again. Coming along that road in the daylight the lane seemed perfectly smooth and unobstructed. Yet I suddenly came against some unseen obstacle that appeared to me as I lighted to be a boulder lying on the road. It was in reality a stone about the size of my fist. The lamp had gone out of course some time ago with my fall. This one I have got out without ever I joggled over anything. I have been told that it was on account of the bad oil I was using, but I have since secured the most expensive oil in the market, an oil with a beautiful name, but the lamp joggles out just the same.

After going over the stone I saw that I had to do something definite with the lamp. I took out my handkerchief and tied down the springs, so that the disk of light touched the front wheel. This wasn't so bad, as it showed me plainly the stones in the road, but hardly in time for me to avoid them, although I did dodge some by performing acrobatic feats that usually led to the ditch. In my evolutions and anxiety about the

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One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are mildly cathartic. As a "dinner pill," to promote digestion, take one each day after dinner. To relieve distress from over-eating, they are unequalled.  
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Accept no substitute that may be recommended to be "just as good." It may be better for the dealer, because of paying him a better profit, but he is not the one who needs help.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is said on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at 25c. 6 bottles for \$5.00 or it will be sent prepaid on receipt of price by Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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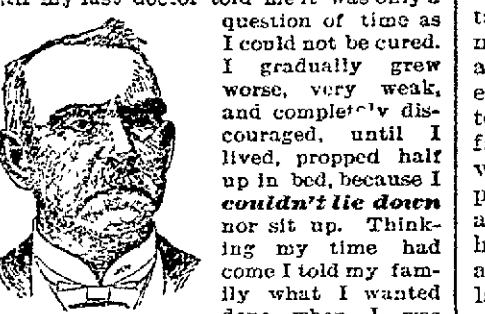
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**HAIR DISEASE,** like many other ailments when they have taken hold of the system, never gets better of its own accord, but constantly grows worse. There are thousands who know this, live a defective heart, but will not admit the fact. They don't want their friends to worry, and don't know what to take for it, as they have been told time and again that hair disease was incurable. Such was the case of Mr. Silas Farley of Dyesville, Ohio who writes June 19, 1894, as follows:  
"I had hair disease for 22 years, my heart hurting me almost continually. The first 15 years I doctored all the time, trying several physicians and remedies, until my last doctor told me it was only a question of time as I could not be cured. I gradually grew worse, very weak, and completely discouraged, until I lived, propped half up in bed, because I couldn't lie down nor sit up. Think my time had come I told my family what I wanted done when I was gone. But on the first day of March on the recommendation of Mrs. Fannie Jones, of Anderson, Ind., I commenced taking Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart and wonderful to tell, in ten days I was working at light work and on March 19 commenced framing a barn, which is heavy work, and I haven't lost a day since. I am 56 years old, 5 ft. 4 1/2 inches and weigh 220 lbs. I believe I am fully cured, and I am now only anxious that everyone shall know of your wonderful remedies."



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lamp I had forgotten the existence of that ditch, but it was there just the same, lying low and saying nothing. I found it without the least trouble. The lamp went out again, of course, and I began to fear that I would not have matches enough to last until I got into the radius of street lamps. I crawled out of the ditch, righted the machine and once more applied a match to the wick. I had lost the handkerchief, but I tied the lamp down with the oiling cloth. I was bowling along at a rapid and satisfactory pace through the bright circle of light in front of me, when all at once, within an incredibly short distance, there appeared before me a young man and a young woman, strolling along together with their arms about each other's waists. Their backs were toward me, and the lamp did not shine far enough ahead to let them know I was coming. Of course, if I had had presence of mind, I could have steered around them and passed on, but they had become so suddenly silhouetted against the darkness, just as a magic lantern picture is thrown upon a screen, that the unexpected sight drove what little sense I had clear away from me, and I gave one terrific yell fit to rouse any recently dead man and flung myself from the machine. The girl complicated matters by wildly throwing her arms around the young man's neck and calling upon him to protect her, which he had no chance to do, because the next instant the machine climbed his back. We three were in a heap in that silent lane before any of us knew what had happened, and of course the lamp went out. By way of excusing myself and saying something conciliatory I shouted out:

"What in the name of the prince of darkness are you two dawdling along this lane in the middle of the night for?"  
The young man intimated to me in rather harsh language that if I would be good enough to wait there until he found his stick he would show me what he was doing. However, I found my machine first, and being in an utterly reckless mood I sprang upon it without examining it to see if anything were broken or not, though I knew that no ordinary fall would injure that machine, and away I went and left them there. I did not see that any explanation on my part would help matters, so I thought it best to leave well enough alone, which I did. Little use as the lamp was I found it had its advantages, because the lane turned a short distance ahead. In fact, it was always turning, even in the daylight, although I had never noticed that particularly before, and this time I ran square into the hedge on the side opposite the ditch. I extricated the machine and once more lit the lamp. I thought perhaps it was safer not to attempt to ride any more, and so walked along, trundling the wheel, for I knew there was a bridge some distance ahead that had no parapets and I did not want to enter into an encounter with it. As I walked along beside the bicycle I saw something move on the side of the road and within the circle of light. A stalwart, unkempt tramp, who had been making the roadside his bedroom, rose up on his elbow and said menacingly:

"Say, mister, can you oblige me with a match?"  
"Yes, I can," I said climbing upon my machine and putting the wheels in motion. "Get on your bicycle and we'll have a match. Come along!" He merely stood up and cursed me in loud and forcible language.

I thought my troubles well over on coming to the street lamps. I was bowling along within half a mile of my own house when suddenly a policeman stepped out into the middle of the road.

"Stop!" he cried, and having a respect for the law I stopped and got off the machine. "What are you doing," he demanded, "traveling with your lamp out?"

"Good gracious," I said. "My lamp isn't out!" but on looking around I found, alas, it was, and I had not noticed the fact, so well was the street lighted. I assured him that it had been lighted a moment before, and that it must have joggled out.

"If you will put your hand on the lamp," I said, "you will find it is quite hot."

He did so and shook his head. I touched the lamp myself, for it, when lighted, becomes uncomfortably hot (it smokes worse than I do), and, would you believe it, it was as cold as a rich relation from whom you want to borrow money.

"You will have to come with me," he said.  
"Won't a cash payment down save me the trouble of appearing before a magistrate?"

"No, it won't," said the policeman. "I must do my duty."

I detect a policeman who has to do his duty, so I said:  
"Oh, very well! I joggled some money out of my pocket as I dropped off. You took me so by surprise. I'm going to light my lamp and look for it."

I lit the lamp and backed the machine up a bit. The policeman kindly helped me to look for the coin, but when his back was bent I pushed my machine forward a bit and sprang on it. My lamp was lit. He blew his whistle, but I managed to turn down a side street, then down another, and so managed to get safely home. But, much as I like the bicycle, I have made up my mind that night rides are too exciting for me until I get a lamp that, like that policeman, will do its duty.—New York Advertiser.

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## THE 24TH'S VISIT TO NEWBURGH

A Battalion Drill at Washington's Headquarters—Guests of the 5th Company.

About sixty members of the 24th Separate Company left town at 9.50 o'clock, this morning, by a special train of two coaches for Newburgh. They will be met at the station in Newburgh by the 5th Company and will be escorted to the armory where arms will be stacked. After luncheon at the United States Hotel both companies will march to the spacious grounds surrounding Washington's Headquarters, where a battalion drill will be held under the command of Captain James F. Chase, of the 5th Company.

An evening parade and review will follow the drill.

A banquet will be served to both companies at the United States Hotel, and the Middleown company will leave for home, via special train, about 9 p. m.

Supervisor J. E. Isenmar, of the Building Committee, and Supervisor N. W. Wood, of the Supply Committee of the Board of Supervisors, went to Newburgh as guests of the 24th.

## STATE HOSPITAL TRUSTEES

Quarterly Meeting To-day—Contracts for Supplies Awarded.

The quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the State Hospital, held at the hospital, to-day, was attended by all the members of the Board with the exception of Messrs. F. W. DeVoe, of New York, and U. T. Hayes, of this city.

The application of the Traction Company for permission to enter the hospital grounds and establish a terminus near the buildings was refused, it being the opinion of the Trustees that the running of the cars on the grounds would expose patients to needless risk.

Contracts for furnishing supplies for six months from Oct. 1st were awarded as follows:

Eastman Co., New York—Beef \$6 43 per hundred pounds; hams 95 cents per pound.

Middletown Beef Co.—Mutton 6 44 cents per pound; lamb 8 40 cents per pound, both by the carcasses.

A. T. Berthoff and E. Arnout—Milk 3 1/2 cents per quart.

## A HURLEY DOMINIE'S FLIGHT.

Bombarded With His Gya Melons by Mischellaneous Marauders From the Kingston Leader.

The other night a well known Hurley divine, being pestered by a number of youths who made frequent nocturnal raids upon his melon patch, secreted himself in a corner of the lot, awaiting the marauders. With him he carried a lantern, which he hid behind some adjacent shrubbery, with the wick turned low and scarcely flickering. By-and-by into the patch came the horde of miscreants and a moment later the dominie pounced upon them like an osprey. They were caught in the act with melons in their arms. The dominie cornered the gang, turned up the lantern wick, and with pencil and paper in hand was about to take the names of all present. This would never do, thought one, and with all his strength he struck the dominie with his melon. That was enough. The divine was the target of a fusillade of melons. During the storming the lantern was knocked out of his hands, the light went out, and all the captives escaped.

## WOMAN VS. WHEELMAN

Talked Two Hours to Save Two Cents and Got a Load of Pennies.

A bicyclist, who had probably learned to evade payment of toll at turnpike gates by carrying his wheel through the gate, attempted to work the same game at Millford bridge.

After carrying his wheel all the way Mrs. Sayer, who was in charge at the bridge toll house, demanded two cents. He refused on the ground that he had carried his wheel. It took Mrs. Sayer fully two hours to convince the fellow that the bridge toll was two cents, whether he had a wheel with him or not. He then shoved out a \$5 bill, but the lady was equal to the emergency, and loaded the fellow down with pennies and nickels.

Wreck at the Wickham Avenue Depot.

Owing to the spreading of the rails on a siding at the O and W. depot at 5 o'clock last evening, a truck went out under a car of train 34 and fifty feet of the track was torn up, and several cars derailed and the tracks blocked. The damage to cars was slight. The wreck was cleared by 9 o'clock.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a secret preparation. Any physician may have the formula on application. The secret of its success as a medicine lies in its extraordinary power to cleanse the blood of impurities and cure the most deep-seated cases of blood disease.

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## A NARROW ESCAPE.

A Workman's Head Laid Open by a Falling Water Pipe.

John H. Eckert, a workman employed in excavating for the three-story brick building on North street, opposite the Wright lot, had a very narrow escape from serious injury, late yesterday afternoon.

He was struck upon the head by the end of an iron water pipe, which was knocked from its resting place by the caving in of the bank. A scalp wound four inches long was made by the pipe and Mr. Eckert was rendered unconscious.

He was carried to Donovan's livery stable where his injuries were dressed by Dr. Burke, after which he was removed to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. John H. Clearwater, on Watkins avenue.

## EAST MAIN STREET PAVING.

Property Owners to Protest Against Doing the Work This Fall.

A movement is on foot among East Main street property owners to protest against the paving of the street, this fall, on the ground that the season is so far advanced that it will not be possible to do a good job or to complete the work before freezing weather comes.

The cheerful faith of these property owners that a protest will influence the Republican rulers of this city, is most amusing. These same East Main street property owners petitioned for a granite block paving, but the Common Council, without even opening their petition, voted to pave the street with Catskill brick, which have never been tested. And even when the matter was up for consideration the second time, the granite block petition, though taken from the envelope, was contemptuously ignored. There is no reason for supposing that a protest will prove more effective than a petition.

## ERIE'S REORGANIZATION

The Foreclosure Sale Fixed for Nov. 6th—A Prior Lien Bond Syndicate.

The foreclosure sale of Erie has been fixed for Nov. 6th, and bonds not deposited on or before Oct. 5th will be received on such terms as the Reorganization Committee may determine.

A syndicate has been formed by Harvey Fisk & Sons to purchase from the underwriting syndicate the \$15,000,000 of Erie's new first consolidated prior lien four per cent. bonds. It had been supposed that the bonds would be disposed of in London, and some of them may yet be sold there by the purchasing syndicate.

## ONTARIO AND WESTERN ELECTION

Old Directors Re-elected—Praise from Vice-President Price.

Ontario and Western directors were re-elected, yesterday, the only change being that C. Ledyard Blair filled the vacancy caused by the death of E. K. Sibley. The old officers were re-elected. Joseph Price, of London, Vice-President of the company, was present and complimented the American officers very highly on the condition of the property.

## THE ERIE'S EXCURSION.

About 300 Passengers from This Station—The Special Train Overcrowded.

The Erie's dollar excursion to New York was well patronized, this morning. When the train of ten well-filled coaches reached this city from Port Jervis, a crowd of 250 people was waiting to board the train at James street, and fifty more were waiting at Main street. An extra coach was attached and the crowd piled in. Many were compelled to stand, but were informed by Agent Wright that their tickets would be honored on train 28. About 100 passengers took advantage of the offer and waited for the Mount Express, which left this city half an hour late.

An O. and W. Bridge Builder Robbed While Unconscious.

Charles A. Crandall, an O and W. bridge builder, whose home is at Norwich, and who has been employed on the trestle at East Cove, near Oswego, was found unconscious in his car, Saturday morning. He did not recover consciousness until Monday morning, and then it was found that he had been robbed of \$54, which he had received from the paymaster, Friday. It was at first supposed that he had been sandbagged, but it is now believed that he was overcome by the intense heat and while unconscious was robbed by tramps.

## New York's Short Milk Supply.

As a result of short pasture, due to the great drought, milk receipts in New York city have fallen off forty per cent., and many retail dealers find it difficult to secure supplies sufficient for the demands of their customers. There has been no advance in price, such as the short supply warrants, but it is expected that on Oct. 1st the price to producers will be marked up at least half a cent a quart.

Sullivan Sunday School Association and Bible Society.

The next annual meeting of the Sullivan County Sunday School Association and Bible Society will be held in the Reformed Church, at Bloomingburgh, Oct. 1st and 2d. The exercises of the Sunday School Association will begin Tuesday evening, and will continue during the afternoon of the day to follow, when the remainder of the time will be devoted to the work of the Bible Society.

## Tom Wright Will Not Go to Jail.

The New York Court of Special Sessions, yesterday, remitted the sentence of a month's imprisonment imposed on Thomas E. Wright, formerly of this city, for selling watered milk doctored with boracic acid. Wright paid the fine of \$200, which was part of his sentence.

## The Fire in Pumpkin Swamp.

The fire in Pumpkin Swamp in the town of Florida has destroyed considerably valuable timber and is still burning fiercely. A report that an onion storehouse containing 1,000 bushel of onions has been burned is without foundation, though several small buildings on the meadows have been destroyed.

## PAIN'S CELERY COMPOUND

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Paine's celery compound has won the reputation of being the remedy "that makes people well." Its good works extend from Oregon to Maine. In every state in the Union there has been piled up in the newspapers and medical journals, a tremendous amount of indisputable evidence of the curative power of Paine's celery compound over all forms of nervous debility and diseases of the blood. It cures after nature's plan, by affording nutrition for every part of the body, overhauling the worn-out tissues, and supplying new brain and nerve material, sending pure blood through the veins, invigorating the whole system, and removing the cause of disease.

Mr. Oscar Pike, a well known resident of Princeton, Maine, recently sent the following unsolicited letter to the proprietors of this wonderful remedy:

"Two years ago I was taken sick with what the doctors called the grip. I was improving when I took a violent cold and chill. Then rheumatism set in, first in the joints of my shoulders, then down my hands and arms, then all over. Feet, hands and legs swelled. I could not put my hand to my head; could not throw the clothes off from me; could not dress or undress myself, nor get out of my chair without help. For a year and a half I tried all kinds of medicines and sarsaparillas, with little or no relief. I was 73 years old. Some one told me to try Paine's celery compound. After I had taken three bottles I found a marked improvement. I have now taken twelve bottles, and the result is I eat and sleep well, do my own work, and go about as usual, getting in and out of my carriage without help. I have been tempted to put an article in the local paper for the benefit of those that are afflicted as I have been."

Mr. Pike is well known in his locality. He is the founder and president of the North Washington Agricultural Society and Trotting Association. When he goes for his mail, he says, people ask him what he has been doing of late, and he answers as do thousands of others throughout the country—

"Paine's celery compound has made me well!"

## Fished for Bass and Caught a Duck.

Wm. C. Gibb, of Newburgh, while fishing for bass in Washington Lake, yesterday, made a remarkable catch—a wild duck, which took the minnow under water, and when it came to the surface was as much surprised as was the fellow at the other end of the line. The duck was captured alive.

## Very Low Prices for Cows.

The Roscoe-Rockland Review says that Alex Little, a stock dealer of Andes, was in the vicinity of Rockland buying stock, last week. He secured six cows for \$48.

## The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physicians' prescriptions or other preparations.

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